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BEFORE THE FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

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In the Matter of)
) MURs 6563 and 6733
Representative Aaron Schock (MURs)
6563 and 6733); Representative Eric)
Cantor (MURs 6563 and 6733); Every)
Republican Is Crucial (ERICPAC) and)
Melinda Fowler Allen in her official)
capacity as treasurer (MURs 6563 and)
6733); Campaign for Primary)
Accountability Inc. and Jonathan Martin)
in his official capacity as treasurer)
(MURs 6563 and 6733); Representative)
Rodney Davis (MUR 6733); 18th District)
Republican Central Committee (Federal)
Account) and Paul Kilgore in his official)
capacity as treasurer (MUR 6733))

CERTIFICATION

I, Shelley E. Garr, recording secretary of the Federal Election Commission executive session, do hereby certify that on November 19, 2015, the Commission took the following actions in the above-captioned matter:

1. Failed by a vote of 3-2 to:
 - a. Find reason to believe that Representative Aaron Schock violated 52 U.S.C. § 30125(e).
 - b. Enter into conciliation with Representative Aaron Schock prior to a finding of probable cause to believe.
 - c. Find no reason to believe that Representative Aaron Schock violated 52 U.S.C. § 30116(a).

- d. Find no reason to believe that Every Republican Is Crucial (ERICPAC) and Melinda Fowler Allen in her official capacity as treasurer violated 52 U.S.C. § 30116(a) and close the MUR 6563 and MUR 6733 files as to them.
- e. Find no reason to believe that Representative Eric Cantor violated 52 U.S.C. § 30116(a) and close the MUR 6563 and MUR 6733 files as to him.
- f. Find no reason to believe that the 18th District Republican Central Committee (Federal Account) and Paul Kilgore in his official capacity as treasurer violated 52 U.S.C. § 30116(a) and close the MUR 6733 files as to them.
- g. Find no reason to believe that the Campaign for Primary Accountability Inc. and Jonathan Martin in his official capacity as treasurer violated 52 U.S.C. § 30116(f) and close the MUR 6563 and MUR 6733 files as to them.
- h. Approve the Conciliation Agreement, as recommended in the First General Counsel's Report dated June 30, 2014.
- i. Approve the Factual and Legal Analyses, as recommended in the First General Counsel's Report dated June 30, 2014.
- j. Approve the appropriate letters.

Commissioners Ravel, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the motion.

Commissioners Hunter and Petersen dissented. Commissioner Goodman was recused and did not vote.

2. Decided by a vote of 5-0 to:

- a. Find reason to believe that Representative Aaron Schock violated 52 U.S.C. § 30125(e) by impermissibly soliciting contributions from Representative Eric Cantor and the 18th District Committee.
- b. Enter into conciliation with Representative Aaron Schock prior to a finding of probable cause to believe.
- c. Find no reason to believe that Representative Aaron Schock violated 52 U.S.C. § 30116(a).
- d. Find no reason to believe that Every Republican Is Crucial (ERICPAC) and Melinda Fowler Allen in her official capacity as treasurer violated 52 U.S.C. § 30116(a) and close the MUR 6563 and MUR 6733 files as to them.

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- e. Find no reason to believe that Representative Eric Cantor violated 52 U.S.C. § 30116(a) and close the MUR 6563 and MUR 6733 files as to him.
- f. Find no reason to believe that the 18th District Republican Central Committee (Federal Account) and Paul Kilgore in his official capacity as treasurer violated 52 U.S.C. § 30116(a) and close the MUR 6733 file as to them.
- g. Find no reason to believe that the Campaign for Primary Accountability Inc. and Jonathan Martin in his official capacity as treasurer violated 52 U.S.C. § 30116(a) and close the MUR 6563 and MUR 6733 files as to them.
- h. Approve the Conciliation Agreement last circulated by Vice Chairman Petersen's Office on November 19, 2015 at 10:42 A.M. with an \$11,000 penalty.
- i. Approve the Factual and Legal Analysis last circulated by Chair Ravel's Office on November 18, 2015 at 05:56 P.M. and direct the Office of General Counsel to make conforming edits to all the corresponding Factual and Legal Analyses.
- j. Send the appropriate letters.

Commissioners Hunter, Petersen, Ravel, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision. Commissioner Goodman was recused and did not vote.

3. Failed by a vote of 2-3 to:

- a. Find no reason to believe that Representative Rodney Davis violated 52 U.S.C. 30125 and close the MUR 6733 file as to him.

Commissioners Hunter and Petersen voted affirmatively for the motion. Commissioners Ravel, Walther, and Weintraub dissented. Commissioners Goodman was recused and did not vote.

Attest:

November 23, 2015
Date

Shelley E. Garr
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Deputy Secretary of the Commission

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